Lapor Chen

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SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Motivated developer with strong web development skills, rapid problem-solving, and a track record of delivering efficient solutions. Known for quick learning, fast development cycles, enabling smooth collaboration across teams.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PicCollage - New Product Team Frontend Developer Intern

Feb 2023 - Sep 2024

Collaborated on 5+ projects over two years, including MixerChat, a newly developed, highly interactive web app. I joined the team at an early stage, engaging with cross-functional teams to provide feedback and proactively contribute impactful insights in developer discussions. Authored clear, informative PRs and maintained clean, structured commits.

MixerChat - Virtual Conference Web App (Vue 3, Nuxt 3, WebRTC)

Feb 2023 - Sep 2024

- Developed and implemented 5+ modules, reducing maintenance overhead. One module optimized client performance, cutting network and CPU consumption by **50**%.
- Involved in over 3+ layout and flow redesigns, building reusable components, and helping the team with quick iterations.
- Led the migration plan for monorepo, enhancing codebase reusability and streamlining development across shared engines among projects.
- Contributed to 20+ releases by performing key PR reviews, ensuring smooth and timely deployments.

TryNow AI - Generative AI Website (Next.js)

June 2024 - Sep 2024

- Designed and implemented reusable components with designers, reduced overall development time by 30%.
- Proactively developed logic for incomplete user flows, minimizing rework and accelerating development timelines.

PicConnect - Internal Hackathon Project (Vue 3, Nuxt 3)

Sep 2024

• Completed full development of the project in a single afternoon, demonstrating rapid problem-solving and execution.

Normal Online Judge - Open Source Contributor

Dec 2021 - Present

SKILLS

- Languages: TypeScript, JavaScript, Python
- Frameworks: Vue 3, Nuxt 3, React, Next.js, Node.js, Tailwind
- Tools: Git, Docker, Firebase, Vim

AWARDS

First Place, IEEE CoG GDMC 2023

• Won **first place** in the IEEE Conference on Games' Generative Design in Minecraft Challenge (GDMC), building an Al system for procedural content generation

Bronze Award, Taiwan ICPC 2022

• Placed **34th out of 100** teams in the prestigious Taiwan final of the International Collegiate Programming Contest (ICPC).

Knight Level, LeetCode (Top 2.6% of 600k+ Users)

 Achieved Knight rank in LeetCode contests, ranking in the top 25% of 1600+ rated users and the top 2.6% of over 600,000 participants.

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

National Taiwan Normal University

Bachelor of Science - Department of Computer Science and Information Engineering GPA 3.83/4.3